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MACAO NOTES,

(From Our Oven Correspondent.).

Macao, March 21, At 2 p.m. on Saturday the Monte Fort FRIDAY,

hailed, with 21 guns, the cruiser conveying H.E. the Governor of Hongkong (Sir SATURDAY, 26 h ... ; Frederick Lugard) who shortly after · lazded with his staff at the Post Office pier where His Excellency was welcomed by Lieut. Ruella, A.D.C., while the military band struck up the British National Authem. Drawn up along the foreshore Sunday the Infantry Corps formed a guard of Monday honour under Capt, Canavarro, to whom |-H.E. Sir Frederick-Lugard made a flattering remark after inspecting the force. His Excellency was then escorted to Government House. The distinguished visitor Cook & Son. and party returns I to Hongkong at 4 p.m., being saluted by the San Francisco fort as they steamed away.

I hear of some fuss being made in official circles in Canton over a buoy said to have been fixed by the Portuguese asthorities on Chinese territory at Pak Shek Kok, Chinsan. The buoy in destion is lying off Green Island at no small distance from Chinsan; It never was intended for a limit mark, but has always been at the disposal of such BANDMANN OPERA CO vessels as may ride in the locality, such as the gunboat Macao at present.

A pilfering trio seemed lately to have taken a fancy to the residence of a couple of Spaniards connected with the Victoria Cinematograph, their last find being \$50. On Friday last, at 8.30 p.m., the coolie Tang Ah Yao, who was alone in the house, was summoned to the back door to receive an urgent letter for his master. Hardly 'had he opened the door when he was stabbed in the chest with & brand new clasp knife. His cries for succour quickly drew some neighbours to the spot, but the poor man had already received a second thrust about the kidneys and another at the back below the ribs. The intending | OC burglars, noting the fresh-arrivals, took to Their heels and were hotly pursued. lukong eventually laid hands on one man whom the victim identified as his assailant. The wounded man was removed to hospital where he is now hovering between life and death. " .-

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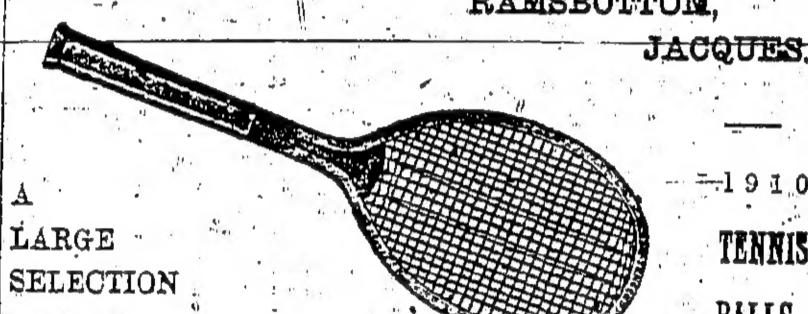
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[BY JOHN, HASSALL.]

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Then his mother, to comfort him, got out a painthor and a magazine, which contained a print of a large turkey. This she proceeded to colour a virid yellow, and the yellower the turkey became, the less the little boy cried, until at last it was so shockingly yellow that he stopped crying altogether, and fell to thinking how wonderful it would be if, when he grow up, he could make such beautiful bright things out of nothing but a box of paints.

The surname of this little boy you have, of course, already guessed. And, now, when you see on the heardings these queer things people call "Hassalls," you will understand why they are painted in such bright colours, and why I am fond of things as they aren't just as much as I am foud of things as they are. "

But let me grow up. People often ask me what I consider

MY GERATEST SUCCESS IN POSTER WORK, and I find it a hard question to answer. My experience is, that the humorous poster, if it is in good tasts, is always successful. It appeals to people, whether they want to see it or not. Take, for instance, the case of the poster I did for Mr

Pélissier of the Follies. This poster, you may remember, showed a very forlorn troupe of Follies standing desolately upon the stage of an empty theatre but for one man, evidently the remnant of the audience, who was in the act of dashing out of the stalls. The Follies themselves were always "sure" of this poster, but the manager of the theatre in which they were appearing was somewhat dubious about its appeal. He thought the joke was too much against the Folliesthat it was too much a reversal of the usual plan to suggest that the performers drive their patrons out of the theatre when the object of the poster was to get them in.

However, it was put out. " And the very next morning the manager rang me up to call me to see the crowd it had attracted. From another point of view, I might call my "Wee MacGregor" figure my greatest success. It was not only talked about, but

302 used as a cartoon, goods were named after it, and it was turned into a fancy dress, and into toys. Another success was my " Newmarket" poster, which represented a horse-trainer

and a girl in a hunting-cont, standing against a dull, flat tack ground with two horses on the top of the horizon line, In connection with this, an old lady

happened to call up at David Allen's office when I was there, and declared herself a fervent admirer of my work. My posters on the heardings were so clear, she said, so definite, so distinctly drawn, etc., and would we oblige her by giving her a copy of my latest one, the title of which had for the moment escaped her.

"Certainly, madam ! " said I, beaming 301 with gratified pride. "Which is the poster you refer to ?"

"Well," replied the old lady, "it's one of a horse-trainer and a girl, leaning against a wall, with two cats on top." At present I'm told "Bir Preedy and the Countess off to Kew in a ofur-wheeler

is most to the front. Of course, I get a great many applications from different people for

THE CHIGINAL BEETCHES of the posters I have painted. Generally,

they are not in my possession, and, on learning this, the applicants sometimes ask me to "do them an original, then,!" I remember selling the original of one of the earliest posters I ever painted to lady living in Borlin for twenty-one pounds. She wrote, offering me this sum for the original sketch of the poster in question. which, as a matter of fact, consisted only o a rough drawing on half a sheet of notepaper. I thought it looked poor value for the money, but sent it off, aud, sure enough, a few days later I received that cheque for twenty guinens.

Undoubtedly, the great thing for an artist in black and white to possess is and it is wonderful how they come at all 5.30 P.M. sorts of unexpected moments. I often sit down to work, with no definite idea of what I am going finally to turn out. and draw with no particular object in view. But as my work progresses, something in the sketch will suddenly present an ideamay be a joke, a humorous situation, or a notion for a poster.

On one occasion, for instance, I was sketching the figure of an old lady, without the least idea of what I was going to make of it, when it suddenly occurred to me that she bore a resemblance to an old woman I. had once seen at a country railway-station. That gave me an idea, which I quickly worked up.

When completed, the sketch showed an old woman asking a porter if an approaching express, travelling at sixty miles an hour, stopped at the station. "No." replied the porter ; "it doesn'

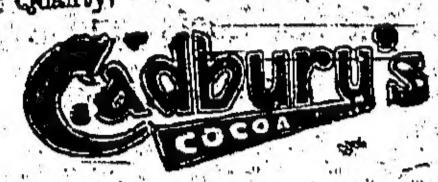
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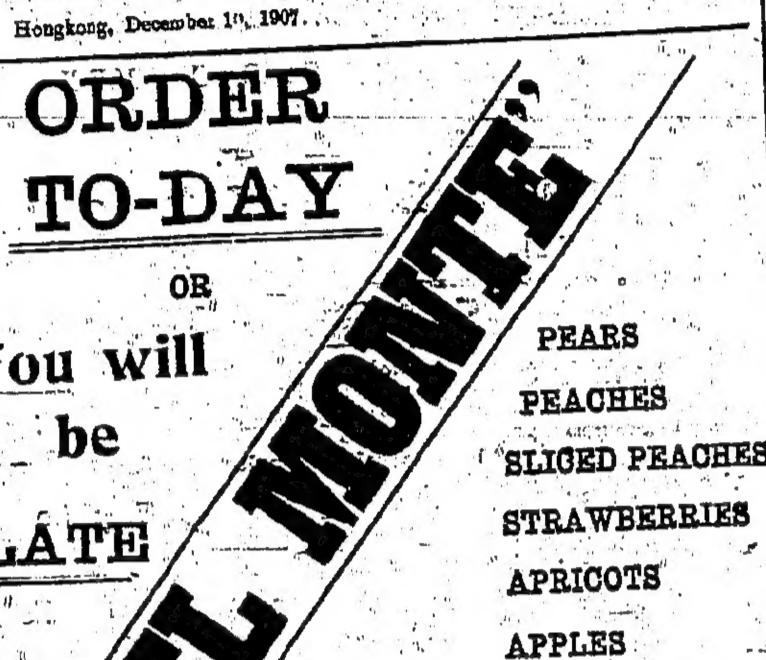
for poster subjects, however, I get from an old book of nursery rhymes, which I find chock-full of suggestions, while for types. of faces the Tubes and Underground offer a wide field, and Lofton betake myself in (Continued on Page 8.)

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ASSOCIATION.

Hon. Becretary. Hongkong, March 18, 1910.

DEVONIAN SOCIETY. THE ANNUAL DEVONIAN DINNER

Hongkong, March 18, 1910.

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their direction, and, somotimes in a firstclass, sometimes in a third, sit for the wholeplength of the line, looking about me to see what my follow-passengers are like. It may interest you to learn of two peculiarities that I possess. I never by any chanco draw a hand if I can possibly help it, and I also avoid drawing nocks. In one of my large canvases, representing a Punch and Judy show, there are no fewer than sixty-one figures, yet not a single hand Is to be seen. Again, in another picture, which was exhibited at the Royal Institutes there were hundreds of figures, but not a single hand showing, the few that were in

sauntlets. Just as assiduously do I concest the necks of my figures by the use of bons, mufflers, or other such devices. In one series of twelve postcards, representing games that are played in each month of the yoar, there were sixteen figures, on each card ; yet only three necks were visible,out of the whole 192! Salt; please! 1

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Whether viewed from the standpoint of agriculture or commerce, the rubber industry demonstrates one of the most unique lessons in modern business development. There is, in fact, no parallel to it, and the pioneers have excellent cause for congratulation. It is difficult to realise that the enormous development has taken place only during the last ten years, and it is still more difficult to realise that altogether less than a century has sinpsed since rubber was first known commercially. The industry received a great fillip about 40 years ago when vulcanisation was succossfully applied, but that fillip was triffing compared to that which has been consequent upon the great growth of electricity. and motoring. In America at the present time, for instance, it is said that more rubber is being consumed in the motor industry alone than was consumed entirely in that country ten years ago, and, astonishing as this may appear, the amount. of consumption is still small compared with what it is likely to be ten years hence. What applies to America in this respect is applicable more or less to civilised countries, and this factor itself is sufficient to indicate what the possibilities of rubber are. To say that those potentialities are great is merely to record the opinions of the best authorities on the subject, but it is noteworthy that the actual progress which has been achieved has been considerably greater than had been | FIRE forecasted by them. This erring on the safe side is a striking exemplification of the The sound foresight and business acumen which

have been shown by the pioneers. It is due to them that rubber planting has been established as a most successful industry in the Middle East, and it is in some measure due to their efforts also that the price of the product has not become too prohibitive. Now, with regard to the present price of rubber, opinions prevail in some quarters that it is inflated. These epinions, are wrong. On the contrary, there is every likelihood that the price will be further raised owing to the continuously increasing demand for the product, and this contention is borne out by the fact that many prominent manufacturer have contracted for supplies-in some cases to the end of 1912-at prices ranging from 6s. to 8s. per pound. That their shrewdness is based upon actual knowledge is hardly a matter for doubt, as the consumption of rubber at the present time is, perhaps, greater than the cutput: Towards the end of 1907, the price of rubber fell rather low, but that was owing to the American financial panic, compelling holders to sell their reserve stocks at wrecked prices, which, it may be added, ruled for but a very brief period. With the passing of the crisis, the market gradually became normal, and not inflated as has been asserted. MANAGEMENT AND YIELDS.

Few people outside of those associated with rubber in some form or other have the slightest conception as to the difficulties which were encountered before the cultivation of the product proved to be a success. At first fears were entertained that pests and disease would severely handicap successful cultivation, but fortunately these proved to be no more formidable than those of the wild forests of the Amazon and tropical Africa, and only careful management was necessary to deal with them. In every respect the management has been excel-lent. The yields from the estates have been always greater thung the estimates. exports rising from 200 tons in 1905 to some 4500 tons in 1909. This quantity, of course, is small compared with the world's output. It is only 6 per centrof the whole, but it likely to show a steady increase, so that the acuteness of the demand may in a few years time be more adequately provided for. Plantation rubber, too, is very popular with manufacturers owing to its cleanness, being much purer than the wild product. The amount of capital invested in District Grand Lodge of Honogong and it must considerably exceed twenty millions sterling. The manner in which that capital has been obtained exemplifies the confidence which has been placed in the pioneers, but there is little room for doubt Grand Master of Hongkong and Bouth industry would have been very different MEETING of District Grand Lodge to be London and Smiths Bank, Edmited had not the foundation been laid by the held at the MASONIC HALL, Zetland Street, anterprising and practical efforts of the Hongkong, on THURSDAY, 24th March, planters with the merchants and brokers 1910, at 6 7, M. in Mincing-lane, to whom in a remarkable degree the credit is due for the present popularity of rubber as an investment. In the brief history of the plantation Master of Hongkong and South China, E.O. Masons unattached to Lodges in the rubber industry a great amount of ex-

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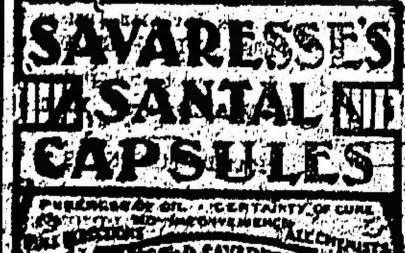
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General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, March 24:-11 a.m.—Meeting of the China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd. at Meesra Jardine, Matheson & Co.'s Office. 11.30 a.m.-Meeting of Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ld., at Mesers Jardine, Matheson Co.'s Offices. FRIDAY, March 25 :-Exchange Banks Close.

The Chian Iffail.

Hongkong, Tuesday, March 22, 1910.

appointed agents in Hongkong, of Bur THE POLITICAL STUATION. rough's adding machine. THE Easter holidays are upon us and the Asquire Government is still keeping Hongkong Police, and his wife, leave for back its Budget proposals, staving off England on a nine months' holiday. the evil day by gotting the House of Commons to pass votes on account, entertainment is to be held at the Royal while the Treasury issues a big percel Engineer's Theatre on Wednesday and Once the tender mind of the youth is three per cent. bonds at 99%. But Thursday, March 30 and 31. all is not by any means tranquil at Street, was yesterday sold to the Hong-Westminster. The Opposition certainly have pledged their word that they will kong Electric Light Co. for \$350. This was \$20 above the upset price. A Blend of the Finest Pure not spring any snap divisions until the financial needs of the country are satisfied, but the publication of the annual report of the North German Lloyd Wur Office and the Noval estimates shows gross profits of marks 32,899,000. No dividend, however, will be declared. greatly incensed the Labour Party. These good men are aghast at the way in which the British Government have thrown overboard the Little Pedlington Messrs Kelly and Walsh, price 50 cents. traditions of the last few years and prepared instead a scheme of shipbuilding which shall, to a certain extent, answer the expectations entertained by the more sober-minded section of the" nation for an adequate and exp-to-date Navy. The allocation of the many millions of pounds required for this purpose means that the peculiarly pet schemes for the Socialistic plunder-Party and the more advanced section of the Liberals had in contemplation must now be abandoned. Commonsense, in fact, has triumphed unexpectedly. The Labour Party, however, are dis-

where tendered for the supply of 8,000 harrels of cement for Manila, but the con tract went to the Societe de Ciments Portland Artificial de l'Indo-China. ing of the Treasury which the Labour. retired in the person of Mr. D. Glass, who for forty years has been connected with the office of the General Agents of the Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf and Godown Co., and who for the past fifteen years has been mayed at the sudden desplay of virile strength which Mr. Asquirm has shown and the revelation that they are not quite such an important factor in the parliamentary game now being played concerting to them, as well as humbling alterations have been made to bring the cost within the available amount... to their pride. For the Labour Party have ever had a good conceit of themselves. During a debate the other day on the Naval Estimates, Mr. BARNES, PREMIER HALL OF THE COLONY; the Party's newly-elected leader, voiced the opinion of his followers in no uncertain terms. He first of all accused the Ministry of departing from the principles of economy so dear to the heart of the late Sir HENRY CAMPBELL BAN. NERMAN, and then, realising that al futile, he wound up by declaring that

he and his party would not hold

themselves responisible for such ex-

NEWS OF THE DAY.

ing to the general body of the nation.

The mr payers of the British Isles have

th sart of Navy they require and are

repored to make -- the enormous

lished by us on Monday the Asquire

change of policy which the new Naval

of the [present almost unworkable con-

condition of domestic politics. Already

and we believe that upon the result

ing, the veto of the House of Lords, which

will be taken before the end of the week,

depends whether or not Mr Asquire

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The University boat race is to be

On Good Friday the Post Office will also

Twenty-nine deportees arrived by the

A Chinaman at Manila recently, at-

Messis Romboch and Co., have been

To-morrow Sergeant Brazil of

A fdramatic, vocal and instrumental

Crown Lot No. 1210, situate in Star

A telegram from Berlin states that the

Mr John L Plummer's pamphlet on

A Gazette extraordinary has been

The Origin of Typhoons " is on sale

It should appeal to all shipping people we

published notifying that gun practice is

to be carried out by the military authorities

on Thursday from west of Hongkong in a

north-westerly direction at 10 a.m. and

Companies from Hongkong and else-

Another well-known China hand has

finishing at 1 p.m.

tempted suicide by drinking a full quart of

will carry on till midsummer.

rowed to-morrow (Wednesday).

be open from 3 p.m. until 5 p.m.

whiskey.

s.s. Gregory Apear from Singapore.

The opium market is in quite a lively quite made up their minds regarding state, the price of raw opium rapidly advancing every day.

Owing to the regrettable illness. sacrifices which it will demand, so the Miss Ewens (principal violin soloist) the Labour Party may as well save them- date of the Philharmonic Spring Concert solves for a different point of attack. bas been postponed until Monday, April

It is a great pity of course, that the Every facility has been accorded by Army and the Navy have been dragged the Japanese authorities to the Roman, into the vortex of party strife but Catholic priest who is administering the things being as they are, we must last consolution of religion to the murderer make the best we can, of them. Judging, from a Reuter's telgram pub-

The Congress of British Chambers of Cabinet has only consented to the Commerce has adopted a resolution in to twolve. Forty-one delegates abstained programme indicates through the from voting. desperate desire to save its adminis-

trative life at all costs. With such to arrive at Manila from San Francisc via policy endorsed by the House of ports, on April 4 will tie up at one of the Commons it can more confidently new government piers to land her passongers and discharge cargo. make the early appeal to the country which seems to be the only solution The annual meeting of the Hongkon

The Pacific Mail liner Mongolia, due

and New Territories Evangelization Society will be held in the Union Church Hall morrow at 5.30 p.m. The following will its chief wire-pullers are at work in take part :- Revs. T. W. Pearce and H. R. every constituency preparing the ground Wells, Capt. G. B. MacKenzie R.A. Mesers Elliott, Manderson, Nairn, Wong Shut Fong and Lam Wan Ki. of the resolution restricting, or abolish-

CORRESPONDENCE.

PERIL TO THE YOUTH.

(To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL." Sir,-To educate the youth, one of the sions. In this manner is morality encourpictures at local Cinematographs. These teach them how to rob, to revenge, to kill, to divorce, and so on. This slass of pictures should never be allowed to be exhibited to the children, as they very forcibly impressed upon their minds and they are apt to imitate such examples. Once the impression is conceived in their minds it will be very difficult to efface and perhaps it will remain always fresh

in their imagination, hence the peril. The authorities ought to have thought of this long ago and should appoint a proper person to examine all the films at the matinces and to select only those that would instruct and amuse the little ones and through having listened to a group of what they have witnessed at those shows. and some of them went as far as to say that they would stab any one who offended

The matinees during Sundays, too, should be stopped Paltogether, as they prevent the children from attending to the evening services at Church. The parents should consider this point and never allow their children to go to the Cinematograph during Sundays.

Trusting you will allow me space in your valuable paper for these remarks, -I am, yours etc., PATER FAMILIA.

THE DISORDERS NEAR WUCHOW.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)" WCCHOW, March 17.

We have just seen three min who have been hadly wounded by robbers. They are estimates. literally covered with small shot. It looks as if one man has been rendered totally blind in one eye. They state that they had just-finished their work in Wuchow and were returning to their country-village about described. They were robbed of one superintendent of the company's property. hundred dollars which was the combined To-morrow bids will be opened by the profit of their labour in the city. They are Manila Hotel Company for the construction now under European medical supervision. was P100,000 more than the amount lawicssness to be suppressed. available, for the building, and certain

By kind permission of Col. Prior appears, with the cognisance of the officials. rendered considerable assistance in Rajputs will play the following programme matter. It is clear that there is a recogniof music at the King Edward Hotel during tion, on the part of the officials, of the Quickmarch Voluntoers Beckert unsettled state of affairs in the neighbour-

We have been informed that some of the West River steamers are being blackmailed. ... Faust The Chinese are urging each other not to travel by these steamers for the present. It will be remembered that a few years ago the late Dr. Macdonald fact his death on one of these boats, at the hands of TAVERY family and especially those who pirates. This has not been forgotten by the Chinese in Wuchow. We should not be surprised if there is a temporary decrease in the passenger trade on the

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The death is announced of Mr. Tom Brownes the artist.

H.E. Sir John Jordan, the British Minister & Peking, will be leaving for Home on April 2nd, travelling via Siberia.

The following promotions have been made in the Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs -- Mr Chalmers, Statistical Secretary, Mr Reis, Acting Commissioner a Nanking, Mr J. H. Macoun, of Peking, to the rank of Commissioner; Mr. Lausu, of Peking; and Mr Guernier to be Deputy

BANDMANN OPERA COMPANY,

"Our Miss Gibbs."

The manner in which the Bandmann Opera Company presented at the Theatre Royal on Monday "Our Miss Gibbs", did full justice to the snormous reputation which the piece won in England. As most people know the work of "Cryptos," piece was constructed by Mr James M. Tannar, the witty lyrics were furnished by Mesars Adrian Ross and Percy Greenbank, and the sparkling music for the whole was composed by Messra Ivan Caryll and Llonel Monekton. With such an array of ralent engaged in its "building up," all that remained was to supply a clever company to reproduce it on the boards. And this has been furnished in splendid amplitude by the Bandmann people. Of course i goes without saying that Miss Connie Leon, who took the title role is the life and soul of the piece. If that ideal were specially constructed for the delineations of musical comedy Miss Leon is perfectly at home. A roguish delight in all the good things of life, with a wit as nimble as her feet, with most entrancing manner to throw over all her play, she simply bewitched her initial steps is to infuse into their minds audience, carrying them quite away at good principles and to create good impres- times. Une song of hers, "Yorkshire" was recalled four times, and even then it aged. Now, looking a Hongkong, we seemed as if the house had not had enough. see how our children are exposed to the The dainty little lady-who dominates the danger of losing their good principles by policy of the directorate of Garrods' stores frequenting harmful antertainments, such as and who tries to dodge her predestined fate some of the immeral expositions of fantastic by skying at entering upon a matrimonial alliance with a real live Lord, was amply supported in the fun-making by Mr Harry 200,000 Cole, her cousin from Yorkshire. It goes evitable. without saying that his funiosities kept everybody in a roar whenever he was on the stage. His song "For months, and months, and months", was one of the greatest hits of the evening and he only managed to get on with the rest of the play by announcing after the fourth encore that

he had song all there was of it and could Mr Dan Clifford, as the amateur cracks Japanese cruisers "Aso" and man, was also very funny, but we should have arrived on a week's visit. have liked Slithers (Mr Frith) to have been as the impecunious lady of fashion, was Dudley, the Governor General. splendidly in keeping with the character. But where all were good, in singing that can save it. I speak from experience in playing in dancing, it is unnecessary to go into further details. The piece, as lads after the matinees performances. I play-goers know, sparkles with costly hits have heard several improper remarks of at the follies and manners of the day and very few points were missed by the crowded

> To-night the piece will be repeated, and to-morrow we are to have. "A Waltz Droam."

SINGAPORE CONGRATULATED BY IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT.

Opium and the Military

Contribution. Among the papers laid before the Singa-

pore Legislative Council, receptly a despatch to the Governor, Sir John Anderson, from Lord Crewe, Secretary of State for the Colonics, stated :-

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch transmitting the estimates of fevenue and expenditure of the Straits Settlements for the year 1910,

has been made to keep down expenditure, and I think the colony is to be congratulated on the fact that, with a diminished revenue, expenditure is so nearly met by income. In this connection where they were attacked by robbers as have to inform you that, in view of the loss caused to the colony by the diminution of the revenue from opium, I am in communication with the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury with a view to the grant, if possible, of some and furnishing of the hotel building to he While the last day or two things in the assistance from Imperial funds. I have erected on the Luneta. The former bids district have been quieter the incident just also informed their Lordships that in my were considered too high in that the lowest recorded proves that there is yet much opinion the time has now come when the arrangements with regard to the military contribution should be reconsidered, and We understand that many of the respon- have invited them to agree to the appointsible people in the adjoining villages have ment of a committee, composed of reprebeen arming themselves. This is done, it sentatives of the colonial office, the treasury, and the war office to consider de nove the and the officers, the Band of the 13th In fact, in some cases, the mandarins have whole question of the contributions paid by the eastern colonies. These questions are at present under the consideration of the treasury, but I trust that before long I may be able to communicate their Lordships reply to you.

I kave read your address to the Legisla ive Council with great interest and cordially share your hope that difficulties which face the colony will be successfully

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RUSSO-AUSTRIAN RELATIONS NOW NORMAL.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, March 21.

Russia has communicated to the Powers a detailed account of the exchange of views which has taken of a second Chinese school on Mr Ellis

future pelicies in the Balkans. These views in their most important points proved identical, and as result normal diplomatic relations, which have been practically suspended since the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovins, are now resumed.

TWO ROYAL VISITS.

Their Political Significance.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, March 22.

The King and Queen of Bulgaria for road maintenance. have arrived at Constantinople... Their Majesties were welcomed the railway station by the Sultan, who offered his arm to the Queen. Royal visitors were loudly cheered by enormous crowds.

It appears certain that this and the King of Servis's visit to St. Petersburg, were arranged by Russia as part of her policy of the Balkan Confederation.

> WELSH COLLIERY DISPUTE.

FEARED BIG STRIKE.

(Reuter's Serviceto the China Mail.) LONDON, March 21.

Negotiations for a settlement of the Wales colliery dispute have proved unsuccessful and a strike of colliers appears to be in-

JAPANESE CRUISERS VISIT AUSTRALIA.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

Losmon, March 22. A Sydney message states that the

The visitors more prominent. Miss Wilmot Karkeek, welcomed to-night by the Earl of

> GERMAN CHANCELLOR IN ITALY.

(Reuler's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, March 22. Dr Bethmann-Hollwes -the German

Chancellor, has arrived at Rome on a visit to King Emmanuel. He drove to the German Embassy, being cheered by crowds on the way. Later he had an audience with His

OPIUM PROSECUTIONS.

Holiness the Pope.

The only cases of interest at the Magistracy this morning were one or two opium prosecutions. A man was arrested on board the sa

Sung Kai with a quantity of prepared opium in his possession, and at the Magistracy was fined \$100, or two months master Coke, will be in attendance. The imprisonment. In connection with the postponed Regatta comes off on Saturday same case one of the firemen of the steamer was charged with assaulting the excise and to linform you that I approve the officer who arrested the man in possession Macao boats will have a military hand on of the opium. He struck the officer and I note with satisfaction that every effort then called on the others members of the crew to join in. P. O. Cottrell, however, at the latter sports will came to the rescue. A fine of \$25. was

> For being in possession of a quantity prepared opium on board the s.s. Ho Nam native was fined \$500; in default, three. months' imprisonment.

[Corretour.] SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SHANGHAL March 33. The ratepayers' meeting yesterday afternoon decided to favour the erection place with Austria-Hungary regarding | Kadoorie paying to build the same. ...

The meeting also granted a reduction in the cost of electricity to the tramways but refused to relieve the roads of maintenance royalty.

It was decided to complete the woodpayement in Nanking Road, while the erection of a pagoda 350 feet high in

the central district was also sanctioned. Note-The situation in regard to the tramway, is that the Council asks through the Budget for authority towaive the five per cent. royalty on gross receipts of the Tramways for the current. year and to absolve the Company in perpetuity from all responsibility for the cost

The proposal to devote Tla. 70,000 for the purpose of paving with wood the Nanking Road was brought forward as a

separate motion. The Municipal Engineer submitted a re-port dealing with the project of a pagoda in which he stated that the Council had been in correspondence with the promoters and the native guilds in the Settlement. Two petitions against the issue of a permit havebeen received, the first from landowners in. the vicinity of the proposed Pagoda, and the other from Messrs Davies and Thomas... "I think" proceeded the Engineer, "it well to point out that the whole question of erection of tall buildings in Shanghai restaupon the present application. The fact that a permit is requested for the erection of a 'Pagoda' does not alter the fact that it is a "building," and the question wises as to whether the Building Rules should be revised, and the height limit imposed either increased or deleted. Personally I think Shanghai would be better served by tall buildings with more open spaces, these low buildings with little or nothing but narrow roads."-ED. C.M.

WU TING FANG.

SUGGESTED AS MINSTER TO FRANCE

(Wah Taz Yat Po's Service.) PERING, March 21.

The Board of Foreign Affinirs recommends that H.E. Wu Ting Fang be appointed Chinese Minister to

PRINCE TAO'S TOUR.

(Wah Tas Yat Po's Service.)

PEKING, March 21. Prince Tsai Tso left Taku on the 20th inst, for Japan. He is to study naval matters first in Japan and then in

CHINESE MINISTER TO

GERMANY. (Walt Tan Yet Po's Service.) PERING, March 21.

As Sir Chin Ting Liang Cheng is involved in Hankow-Canton Railwas affairs, the Prince Regent intends to appoint someone else to be Chinese Minister to Germany.

EASTER AMUSEMENTS.

To-morrow the annual sports of the H. K. S. B. R. G. A. take place on the ground of the United Service Recreation Club, when the officers will be "At Home." The band of the Rajputs, under Band, afternoon next, commencing at 1. p.m. when the Rajputs' Band will play. Or Easter Sunday, in all probability, the their excursion; while the Lusitano Sports come off on Monday, when the Rajputs band will again play. The programme "Country Girl," selection ; 2-Step. "Dan Cloches de Corneville"; Cake Walk. Mosa"; Valse, "Hydropathen"; tubaphone solo. Garden"; Galop, "Off to By-bye"; and the Portuguese National Anthem.

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IN A FAN-TAN DEN.

(Specially scritten for the "CHINA MAIL")

. It was a dingy, smoky little room dimly, illuminated by very ordinary kerosone of lamps. The atmosphere smelt heavy. There was no pretension to magnificenceno gaudy display of elaborate gilt and coloured wood-work such as one almost invariably associates with the interior of a place of this kind. Yet was it not described as a "First Class Fantan Gambling House"?" We refrained p.m. from thinking what a Second Class establishment might be like. However, we were out for a couple of hours of excitement. At least this was why we patronised the premises. And, we argued, where sheer luck is concarned one place is quite as good as another. Personally I soon tired of the sport-oh, no; it wasn't because got " broke" The Chinese patrons drew away my interest. I found far more diversion in watching this ever-changing mob than in gazing at a few brass counters being mechanically raked in, four at a time, by an aged and wizen-faced man. All classes were represented in the crowd of customers. The cook boy who came to stake his one and only watch on the off chance of an 11.30 and 11.40 a.m; distance, 151 miles. odd three of counters coming out at the finish rubbed shoulders with his bluegowned, gold-spectacled compatriet who made no bones about throwing down a \$100 bill on the possibility of the same numeral appearing. Here was absolute unity of hope, but what a difference in degree !

In all the scene, however, one individual predominated. He sat at the head of the long, mat-covered table doling out the little counters on which practially all eyes were eagerly fastened. Old, shrivelled up, sunken-cheeked, bleary eyed he slowly put out the well-worm circular bits of brass, a handful at a time, with such regularity that he seemed more like an automatically driven piece of machinery than a living human being. In like manner he scraped thom, in again, four at a time. His hands were long and bony, the fingers drawn up as though he had been a martyr to chronic rheumatism. Finger nails agood three inches in length added to the grotesqueness of the being. When we entered, the expression C. T. Hose, b Hutchison on his face was one of vacant stolidity. A the time we stayed his features never relaxed or changed, no matter-how high the excitement ran. He was quite oblivious tonall comments. One began to wonder if he had always sat there thus and if he would for ever continue to do so. His must be a cramped little world we thought. And yet he did not seem Aubrey and Hancock and Master producing discontented or unhappy; indeed, some some capital play and ending in the sometimes the thought occurred to one that he was inwardly chuckling but had too the matches are appended: much dignity to condescend to reflect his feelings in his countenance. As we found him, so we left him.

A few days later we were back again. What had happened? Our aged Chinese S. Murray (owe 15/1) beat E. R. Hallifar friend was not presiding. Ah! there he was 6/2, 6/3. What had happened? Our aged Chinese -standing among the crowd. He caught my eye, saw the enquiring look invit, and, as if in answer, exclaimed feebly but with, I thought, astrangetone of elation in his voice." "Olo woman have makes die !" Here was the explanation-his aged wife had passed away and he was taking a rest by moving slowly among the crowd smoking a knotted. old pipe. What other world had he? True the air was far purer and the street lamps were burning much more brightly outside. But what was that to him? His little world was inside these four dark walls. This was all the universe he wanted to know.

The clink of the brass counters soon 'called him back, and ere we left he was again perched on his high bamboo stool, doling out and then raking in the pieces Once he turned in our direction and again informed us that " Ole woman have makes die." In strange, unexplainable Oriental manner he accompanied these broken words the draws for the first and second rounds with a smile-hn action of which we thought him incapable. Passing out through the door I glanced back. A little quivering, triumphant smile still hung about his lips. Mr McLeanan plays Mr Healy. "B" And yet "Olo woman have makes die." What a strange study !

" MESSIAH " SELECTIONS.

There will be two renderings of selections from the "Mossish" this week in St. John's Cathedral, to-morrow (Wednes- Mr Slater plays Winner "B" day) shortened Evensong will be sung at 5.30, at which the preacher will be the Bishop of Victoria, after which several Mr Theakstone plays Mr Leung.

Mr Carvalho plays Mr Pitt. numbers, from Handel's famous work will be given, including "Come unto Me," "For He shall feed His flock," "Behold the Lamb of God," "And with His stripes," "Surely He hath borne our griefs" and "Ail we like sheep."

On Good Friday shortened Evensong will and Taikoo Rifle Club took, place at Tai be sung at 9.15 p.m. There will be no Hang Range when the latter club won by sermon, but a lengthy selection from the four points. The scores were " Messiah" will be given, including the greater portion of Part 2 and several num. Mr Crosbie 30 bers from Part 3. The Cathedral-choir Mr Whiting ... will be assisted by a few other voices and Mr Bannerman ... 26 31 25 82 behalf of the general fundeof the Cathedral. Mr Dalziel in aid of which these performances are given. -- /. ...

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SPORTING. The Calendar.

Saturday, March 26. RECATTA -- Hongkong Rogatta, Fon-

wick's Reclamation, Bay View, commence-FOOTBALL -Roplayed Shield final, Buffi Naval Yard; Hongkong Club ground, 4.30 p.m. Monday, March 28,

ATHLETICS. - Lusitano Recreation Club ports, Happy Valley. BoxING .- Amateur boxing tournament at Belle View Stadium ; commencing 2.30

Wednesday, March 30. ATRIBUTES. Buffs Regimental Sports

meeting. Saturday, April 2. YACHTING, Royal H.K. Yacht Club Handicap and One Dosign Class racing;

2.30 and 2.40 p.m; distance 10 miles.
ATRICETICS.—Hongkong A. A. A. Annual Sports, Kowloon track. kong Football Club ground. BoxING, - Matches at the V.R.U.

Wednesday, April 6. ATRIETICS. - R.G. A. sports, Saturday, April 16. RACING .- Gymkhana Club's let meeting;

Sunday April 17. YACHTING,-Royal H.K. Yacht Handicap and One Design Class racing:

League Cricket.

TELEGRAPES AND DODWELLS & CIVIL"

This League match was played at Happy Valley on Saturday afternoon, and resulted in a win for the Telegraphs and Dodwells C.C. by 5 wickets. The scores were :-

CIVIL SERVICE. . T. Lamble, b Oliver ... O. Bird, c Matson, b Oliver . Sutherland, b Shields . A. Raven, b Oliver ... " ... O. Hutshison, c Shields, b Waterhouse McEwon, b Waterhouse . G. Pole, c and b Shields Mackay, c Inck, b Shields E. Brett, not out l. Gast, b' Oliver

W. Manning, c Hutchison, b Bird C. Oliver, not out M. Dodwell, c Bird, b Brett ... R. E. H. Oliver, c Hutchison, b Bird ... A. H. Young, b Hutchison W. Waterhouse, not out ...

Total (for 5 wickets)...

Lawn Tennis.

Quite a number of matches were played off on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground last evening the tie between Hastings, and what unexpected defeat of the latter pair by 2 sets to 1 and 18 games to 14. Details of

"A" CLASS DOUBLES.

FIRST ROUND. Capt. H. M. Beasley and Capt. G. T. Brierley (owe 30/2) beat Lt. D. K. Anderson and Lt. R. P. Wedd (scr) 6/4, 6/4. Lt. Col. H. D. Stacpole and Capt. J.

SECOND ROUND. 15/3) beat H. Hancock and R. F. C. Master

"A" CLASS SINGLES. W. Pittendrigh (rec. 3/6) best R. Long (owe, 4/6) 6-5, 6-4, Capt. B. A. Craig (owe 3/8) beat J

Allen (owe 15) 6/3, 7/5. Matson (owe 3/3) best P. P. J. Wodehouse (owe 3/6) 6/4, 6/4 * PROPESSIONAL PAIRS.

SECOND BOUND. G. Hastings and R. F. C. Master (Legal) best R. J. Birbeck and R. E. O. Bird (Scholastic)-6/3, 6/4, W. G. Worcester and C. A. Carr yards, three-quarters of a yard separating (Shipping) beat R. B. Beattle and C. T. the second and third. Hose (Telegraphs) 6/4, 8/6.

Amateur Billiard Championship.

The committee of the Hongkong amateur billiard championship met at the Victoria The Studio, for February. Recreation Club on Monday evening when resulted as follows :-

FIRST BOUND. Monday, April 4th. Mr Cooper plays Mr Phillips. " A SECOND BOUND. Tuesday, April 5th.

Capt. Baker plays Mr Heigh. Mr Roza plays Mr Bush. Wednesday, April 6th. Mr Melvin plays Mr Bishop. Mr Lashbrooke plays Winner " A"

Thursday, April 7th. Mr Yvanovitch plays Mr Cameron.

No. A Co., VOLUSTEERA P. TAIROO R.C. On Sanday afternoon a competition between the No. 4 Co., Hongkong Volunteers

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No. 4 Co., H.K.V.C.

VOLUNTEER COMPANY SHOOT.

At the Tai Hang Range on Sunday morning the fifth monthly shoot of No. 4 Co. H.A. V.C. took place when the following bost five cards were returned .--900 500 600 H. P. Ttl. Frith 32 8gt. Sorby...... 31 33 Sgt. Grimshaw 28 27

Yachting

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In connection with the Corinthian Yacht Club the eighth and final race of the season took place on Sunday. The results are an There was trouble, and plenty of it in follows :-

MANDICAP CLASS.

The winner for the senson is the Ayesha HAYWARD HAYS CLASS. White Rose ... The winner is Sirius. GARL CLASS.

Toinetto... Dorothy is the winner. MOTOR BOATS.

The result of the motor-boat race was a

Mercury ... n. 54 Jean ' On Sunday there will be a handicap race for all classes, cup being presented by the Vice Commodore, Mr Hazeland.

Rugby.

At Happy Valley on Monday evening long time. the Navy team met the Hongkong Club in the Rugby football competition. There was a large number of spectators present and the teams lined out as follows :-

Honorone Cron: Blackburn: Oliver. Kilby, Pearce, Ferrier; Clarton, Clarke; Lester, Temperley, McIlraith, Robertson, Courtney, Ravenhill, La Fontaine and

NAVY: Piddock; Annaheim, Heppelampbell, Crawley; Glaister, Turner; Highton, Dennison, White, Johns, Lubbock, Sloman, Heenan and Davies. The opening exchanges were somewhat

tame until Hongkong got the advantage of ...115 a kick through the instrumentality of Blackburn. Some pretty running and passing was then witnessed. The Navy however proved themselves equal to the attack and forced play into their opponents terri-tory and at half-time" the score stood ten points to five in favour of the Hongkoug Club. Further scoring resulted in the second half and when the whistle sounded for the suspension of hostilities the score was:-Hongkong, 3 goals, 1 try-18 points; Navy, 1 goal, 1 try-8 points.

Boxing Tournament.

Attention is called to the advertisement in another column of the grand boxing tournament which is to be held on Easter Monday at the Belle View Stadium. is open to all amatuer welter and heavy weights in the Colony, and no doubt there will be a hig response to the inducements G. Hastings and Dr. G. E. Aubroy (owe held out. Handsome trophics are to be offered and these are at present on view at the Belle View Hotel. Entries close on the 24th inst., and should be sent to Mr Winch, the manager of the hotel, to whom also communications should be addressed in connection with the light-weight championship of the China Station.

New 100 Yards Record.

The race for the 100 yards professional championship of the world was won at Johannesburg by Donaldson, followed by Postle and Halway in the order named. The winner's time was 92 sec., which constitutes a world's record. The race was won by

The Studio is devoted to a criticism of the paintings of Prof Honry Tonks, of the Slade School. It is written by Mr C. H Collins Baker and is illustrated by five examples of Mr Tonks' very characteristic work. A very charming artist is introduced to us in the person of Ludwig Rosch, a made quite a name for himself in Austria and Crotia, particularly in water-colours. The articles on Architectural Gardening the clever pens of Mr C. E. Mallows and Mr F. L. Grigges accompany the letter with a refined feeling for colour. The Arts and Crafts Society's Exhibition at the New Gallery is amply described and illustrated, twenty three particularly meritorious works being reproduced. The reproduction Honour Judge Williams Evans, is a very successful piece of work and will be much appreciated by the renders of the Studio.

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SCOTTISH SPORT.

(From Our Own Correspondent). EDINBURGE, March 1.

THE SCOTTISH CUT. -- SECOND BOUND. After two unsuccessful attempts settle, the Heart of Midlothian defeated St Mirren by 4-0; curious figures after a couple of draws.

Lieut. Soots and Corpl. Frith were the winners in the spoon entries. THIRD ROUND.

The Celts have the good luck to be well up to date in all their big engagements. Even with a poor side they accounted for Aberdeen by 2-1. They were the first to roach the semi-final stage. Docs this moan

the tie between Hearts and Hibs. Doubts were freely expressed whether the ground of the Hibernians would accommodate a Cup crowd. But the directors were stubborn; they would not consider a change of venue, ("There's money in the Cup"); and they are wholly to blame for what ensued. The game began all fight'; but with a tremendous crush round the palifigs. At the interval, the crowd broke in through a space where the planks gave way, and hundreds swarmed on to the field. For a time play was kept up, with an occasional halt to get the mob back a bit; but twenty. five minuted from the finish the referee had to take the players off the field. At one point the spectators had encroached on the playing pitch by at least three yards. When it was seen that the game was stopped, thousands of the spectators rushed of the grass. Fortunately there was was no disorder, and the crowd dispersed quietly At the time play was stopped, the Hearts had scored one and the Hibs nothing; but play was not pronounced for either side.

At their next meeting, the Hibs had most of the play, and ran out winners by a single goal. The Hearts were out classed in the latter part of the game. Their defeat was expected; but the success of the Hibs is welcomed; for the old establish. ed Irish club has been under a cloud for s

Queen's Park have drawn twice with Clyde. Of recent years, the Queen's have devoted most of their energy to bringing the Cup back to Hampden Park, and although as Leaguers they are not formidable, they are always stout opponents in the ties. The games with Clyde were full of pace and grimness, and it is a new experience for a well trained professional eleven to be twice run to a standstill by amateurs whose onthusinam is their most

The Motherwell-Dundee game was postponed owing to the bad condition of the ground. When they came together, the Taysido men were victorious by 3-1. Motherwell were the superior team in the first half; but they fell away in the second.

FOURTH ROUND DRAW. Clyde or Queen's Park v. Celtic. Hibernians v. Dundee.

LEAGUS INTERNATIONAL

Scotland beat England by 3-2 at Black burn. English footballers consider that fate played them a scurvy trick in covering the field with snow, thus reducing the speed of their forwards. On that, it quite possible, the result of the match turned. But as it was played, there can be no doubting the thorough merit of the Scot-

tish victory. It was a great whattle of forwards, and no traise can be too great for the Scots who occupied that had to give something, but they had it in harmony and general effectiveness. The ground suited them to a nicety. Every one of the five seemed to feel that the day depended on him, and they played with hole-hearted abandon that would brook that has gone into England to represent

denial. It is doubtful if any right pair cotland has carried itself better than did Bennet and M'Menemy. They were as nearly perfect as possible, and when the local crowd were not cheering them, they were lost in admiration of the dexterous passes and the witchery of understanding between these two old Ruthergien Glencairn

THE LEAGUE. The League matches occupied, of course, the second place to Cup ties and International, and nothing of importance has

The Hamilton-Academicals-Falkir! match was stopped with fifteen minutes to go, the referee declaring the ground unfit for play. The spectors mobbed the pavilion, but the field was cleared without mishap. Airdriconians tied with Third Lanarkeach. On the next Saturday, several of their best men at the International, they had to record another draw,

this time with Hamilton Academicals, Port Glasgow 2, St. Mirron 1. Kilmarnock best Patrick Thistle The first article in the new number of 2-3: The Thistle had the better of the Port by 3-1. Rangers could only put on 2 to Breenock Morton's 1; and then scored 6

St. Mirron's 1.

Third Lanark 6, Morton 1. Aberdeen 5, Kilmsrnock 0. RUGBET-SCOTLAND V. IBELAND. Though the Scottish team won easily by

painter of considerable powers who has fourteen points to nothing, no exceptional brilliancy was shown in their play. Until well on in the second half, when Scotland got the second try, there was little to choose between the fifteens apart from the are continued and cloven illustrations from superior footwork of the Scottish forwards. Barring one or two slips at the beginning. Cunningham and Walter did fine work, press. Many of these cottages are most being one of the fit-bits of the match. In delightful in their refined simplicity defence, they were sound, and did a large combined with thorough utility. A series share in keeping out the Irishmen. There of Indian pictures by Frank Dean, was not much combination among the now being exhibited at the Fine Art three-quarters, and although three of the Society's calleries in New Road Street tries fell to the credit of the backs, it was Society's galleries in New Bond Street, mainly due to the strong play of the proves him to the a painter of distinct forwards that the Scots owed their success. ability, well-equipped as regards accuracy. By comparison, the Trish forwards, esof vision and power of expression, and pecially towards the close, were poor. Their halves were keen workers, quarters safe and weak by turns, and the full back position in good hands.

OLUB MATCHES. The Watsonians against Institution were disappointing; they pur on 2 goals and I in colours of J. M. Whistler's oil-painting, tries, but seem to be feeling the effects of Harmony in Blue and Silver-beaching overwork. The Institution had one try, the boat, Etretat," in the possession of His and were value for at least one other score. He had a horror of the association of the On the International Saturday, with a game with gambling; but he did not call deploted side, the Watsonians best putting a ball on the game by that name. Over £12,000,000. Stewart's College by 33 points to 0. It was just enough to make one fool a little Melrose run Edinburgh University very pleasure in pocketing it, and a little irritaclose, but the students were without four tion in paying it. of their best men. The same University with their best men fighting Ireland, were able to account for Clydesdale by 12 to 0. West of Scotland put on 25 points to Kelvinside's 3; but lost to Edinburgh Academicals by 35 points to 31



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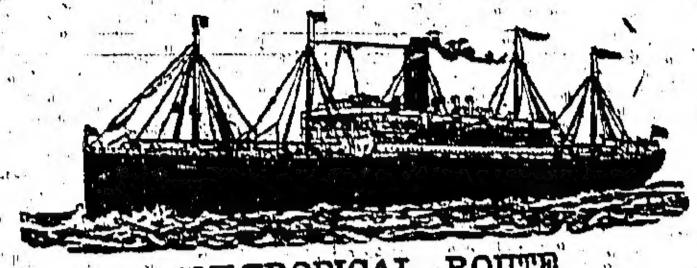
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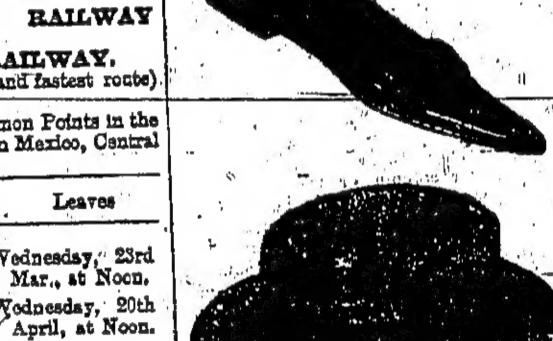
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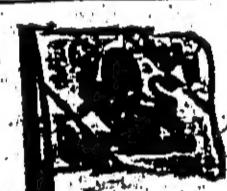
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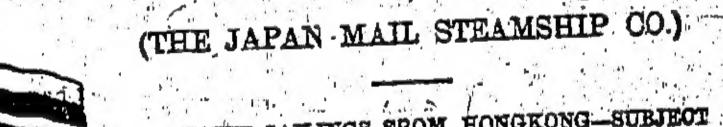
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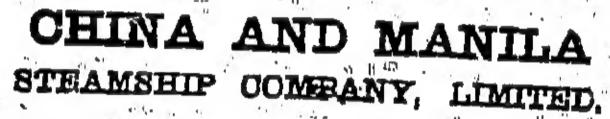
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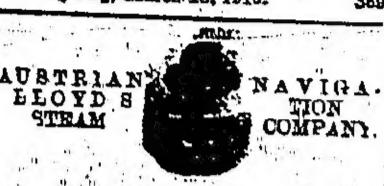
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The following notice is issued from the Hongkong Observatory. On the 22nd at 12.10 p.m .- The depression lying to the E. of the Loochoos yesterday, is moving Eastwards in the neighbourhood of the Bonins.

The "barometer has risen over the Yangtze valley, and fallen in N. China and S. W. Japan. A depression coming from the Yangtze valley is moving Eastwards over the Eastern Sea. Pressure has increased quickly and is

now high over E. Japan. Moderate variable winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel and along the northern shores of the China Sea. Hongkong rainfall for the 21 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0:00 inches.
Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood: S.E. or variable winds, moderate; fair to-2. Formosa Channel: Variable winds,

3 .- South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks; Same as No. 1, 4 .- South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan ; Same as No. 1.

EXCHANGE. Hongkoug, March 22, 1910 On London-Bank Wire...

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On demand. 88 Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael) ...\$59.40 Sovereigns (Banks' buying rate) \$11.40 Silver (per oz.) 2315 Bar Silver in Hongkong ... 64% P. Thinese Copper Cash 1 % p. Rate of Native Interest 5 %p a. Crinose Sub. Coin 81% die. Hongkong Sub. Coln ... 8 % dis.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Only fully prepaid lotters and postcards are transmissible by the SIBERIAN route to EUROPE.

Mails will Close for :-SINGAPORE, PENANG & COLOMBO. Par Sunda, at .9 a.m., on Wednesday,

... the 23rd March. MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA. " & TACOMA. Per Tacoma Maris, at 10 a.m., on Wed-

needsy, 23rd March. KOBE. Per Riojun Maru, at 10 a.m., on Wed nesday, the 23rd March.

SWATOW, AMOY, NINGPO & SHANG. Per Kansu, at 4 p.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd March.

Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd March. SHANGHAI.-Per Anhui, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, FROM ANTWERP, MIDDLESBRO

the 24th March. NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Beneenue, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in. Miss G. Campbell the 24th March.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The Ger. Contract Packet Prinzers Alice the Hongxong and Kowloon WHARE and Dr Donelan Brindisi ; to the Straits Settlements, Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th May J. Gall Tuticorin), Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c.,

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To-day's 'Advertisements.

MONDAY. SOCIETY PHILHARMONIC April 4th.

Plan at ROBINSON PIANO Co., Ld.

Hongkong, March 22, 1910.

MOTICE. TT is hereby notified that the SUPPLY of WATER to Shaukiwan East and West will be TURNED ON in the public mains during the following hours only :-GAM to 9 A M. 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

W. CHATHAM, Water Authority Public Works Dapartment, Hough ang, March 21, 1910.

THE SALON-CINEMA THEATRE ALEX ALMAZOFF AND CH. METZINGER.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of Creditors of the above named will be held at the Supreme Court House (in the small Court) on Wednesday next the 23rd inst. at 4 p.m. F. HOWELL.

Receiver. Dated the 21st March, 1910.

OREGON PPLES

ANOTHER SHIPMENT ARRIVED

H. RUTTONJEE & SON, 5, D'Aguiller Street, HONGKONG, and at KOWLOON.

BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. LUNDON & STRAITS.

formed that all Goods are being Mrs Cochrane landed at their risk into the hazardons Mr Dawson . and/or extra hazardous Godowsts of Lt. & Mrs Dodgson Mr E. A. G. May will be despatched on WEDNESDAY. Gopown .Co., Lamiter, whence and/or Rev. & Mrs. Ennis Mr Neilson the 23rd March, with Mails for from the wharves delivery may be obtained. Sir Joseph & Lady M: & Mrs Burns Pye the United Kingdom, the Continent of No Claims will be admitted after the Fayrer Consul de Reus Europe and countries beyond, vid Goods have left the Godowns, and all Capt. & Mrs Finch

> presented to the Undersigned on or before Mr Harris the 5th April, or they will not be re- Mr F. A. Hazeland Rev. Thornhill are to be left in the Godowns, where they Mr Hind (W.B.) Capt. Warding will be examined on the 29th March, at Mr & Mrs Hitchcook Mr W. Wheston

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Ltev. Houghes GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., Hongkong, March 2z, 1910. 395 Min Jack

BOXING TOURNAMENT

BELLE VIEW HOTEL (Telephone No. 907). BASTER MONDAY.

GRAND TOURNAMENT for Amaweights, promoted by the Proprietor of the BELLE VIEW HOTEL, will take place on EASTER MONDAY, the 28th instant, Wchnschaffer, Major and Mrs Treadwell, commencing at 2.30 P.M The Toureament, is open to all Amateu Welter and Heavyweights in the Colony

and to be cintested under Queensbury Entries will be received by the Undersigned up to the 24th inst., at 10 F.M. The Prizes are two handsome Silver Cops switably inscribed. .The trophies are on view at the Belle

Ylew Hotel. MAIN EVENT: PETTY OFFICER SMITH SEAMAN ROBERTS) H.M.S. Minotaur H.M.S. Kent. For Lightweight Championship of the China Station."

Correspondence should be addressed to W. WINOH. BELLE VIEW HOTEL. Hongkong, March 22, 1910.

"NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS, FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND

Vessel will be landed and stored at Con. From Robe : for London, Miss Melhuist. 'aiyneca' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

the undersigned. -DAVID SASSOON & Co., LD. Hongkong, March 22, 1910.

PRAK HOTEL Mr & Mrs Alasbaster Mr H. M. Jeffries Col. St. John Dr Aubrey .. Mr C. C. Knight Mr Auld Mr & Mrs Koble-Col. Bayard Mr Bayley (L.M.) schmidt Col & Mrs Bedford Mr and Mrs Lack Capt. and Mrs Bell Mr Lakin. Lieut.-Col. Lander Mrs Bowdler Mr & Mrs C. Lawder Mr and Mrs Bowen Mr and Mrs Bryor Mr Lester Mrs Llewellyn Mr A. O. Lolts Mr R. Marton Lt. & Mrs Morley

Mr A. Sinclair Mr A. Findley Smith Batavia, Burmah, Coylon, India, (via March, 1910 will be subject to rent. Mr&MrsH. Hancock Mr Southerland All Claims against the steamer must be Mrs Harold Lt. Coll & MraStacpole Mr W. T. Hockaday Mr and Mrs. White Mr S. Willson Mrs Hodgins Lt.-Col. & Mre Wrig-

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17A, QUEENS ROAD CENTRAL. Hongrong, February 23, 1909.

STRAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

March 4. Priam.

OUTWARD HOUND.

March 8, Aragonia, Astyanian, Belgravia,

March 11, Andaluria, Chingeo, Deucalion,

March 18, Hirano Maru, Mishima Maru,

ARRIVALS AT HOME.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The N. D. L. s.s. Print Ludwig carrying

the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 23rd February, left

Singapore on Saturday, the 19th

March, at 8 a.m., and may be expect-

ed here on or about Wednesday, the

The Bon Line s.s. Benvenus from Antwerp

16th March, for this port.

23th March, at 2 p.m.

here about the lat- April.

the 18th March.

and London, left Singspore on the

kong on the 16th March, and is due

Latest Advices.

India which left here on the 26th

Fabruary, arrived at Vancouver on

FRENCH MAIL of the 27th Fobruary

F. brusry, left Singapore on Monday,

the 21st March, at 7 p.m., and is

expected to arrive hers on Monday

arrive at this port at 5 a.m. on

rived at New York on the 17th March.

pean Line) left Singapore for this port

Straits, left Singapore for this port on

Mrs A. Lehn

Miss Lepristo

Mr R. F. C. Master

Burgeon Percy

Minett, R.N.

Bir H. N. Mody.

Mr T. Moulder

Mrs W. C. Passmor

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Mrs Scharl

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Mr P. Stugfborgen

Mr M. H.: Wontman

Miss P. E. Edwards Lt.-Colonel and Mr.

Mr and Mrs H. Q. Peatson

Mr R. Friedlander " esbois

Mrs Marston

The N. Y. K. s.s. Wakasa Maru (Euro-

The sis. Pooksang from Calcutts and the

morning, the 23th March.

.Thursday, March 24th.

the 24th March.

Mrs M. David

Ca: t. Dixon.

Fisher.

Mr G. M. Hay

Mias Howard

Mies Hughes

Mrs. Irons ...

Miss Dolly Kaldie

Mr D. Kennedy

Mins A. da King

Mr Ad. Kobb

Mr H. Lamb

Mrs Lamquet

Mr A Briduad

Mr W. Budge

Mr P. Currie

botham

Mr Paul Hanga

Mr R. Hanter

Mrs S. Jorgensen

Mr. & Mrs H. Loo

Mr John Lennox

Mr Franz Enko

Mr O. Oabos

and mails from London of the 26:

March 18, Tourans." ...

China, Kennebec, Sado Maru, Sumatra,

March 15, Bengvon, Brasilia, Goeden.

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

Zaftro, British atr., 1,618, R. Redger, Manila March 19, Sugar, Hemp and General.—Sheway, Tomas & Co. March 22.

Catherine Apear, British steamer, 1.730, Geo. F. Hudson, Calcutta and Straits Mar. 15 General - DAVID SASSOON & Co., LD. Den of Ogul, British str., 2,522, H. O. Hemming, New York Dec. 30, Case Oil, -STANDARD OIL Co.

Prinzess Alice, Gorman str., 8,721, P. Grosch, Yokohama March 12, and Shanghal 19, Mails and General .- MELCHERS &

Germania, German atr., 1,000, C. Jepsen, Sydney Jan. 29, Copra. - SIEMSEEN & Co. Hanoi, French steamer, 630, J. Pannier, Haiphong, via Pakhoi, Hoihow and Kwang. chow-wan March 17, "General. - A. R. MARTY.

Sunda, British str., 2,986, R. A. Potors, Yokohama and Shanghai March 18, General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. Kanagawa Maru, Japanese str., 3,825.

C. H. Botler, Shanghai March 19, General, -NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Benvenue, British steamer, 2,505, Kroble, London and Singapore March 16, General. -GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co.

Amigo, German str., 822, H. Frandsen, Halphong and Holhow March 21, Coal and Rico .- JERSEN & Co. Kweiyang, British str., from Canton. Sobine Rickmers, Dutch str., from Can-

DEPARTURES. March 22. Hunan, for Canton. Jacob Diederichsen, for Haiphong. Helene, for Holhow. Mesfoo, for Shanghai.

Taming, for Manile. Cheongshing, for Taingtau. Theseus, for Singapore and London. Chowton for Bangkok. Drujar, for Swatow. Haiyang, for Swatow. Spir, for Newchwang. Onsang, for Kobe.

CLEARED. Holstein, for Tsingtau. Huichow, for Tientain. Colombo Maru, for Singapore and Bombay. Prithjof, for Baiphong. Den of Ogil, for Whampos. Sunda, for Singapore and London.

PASSENGERS.

Trintau, for Swatow.

Per Zafiro, from Manila, Capt. Baird, Messrs R. C. Barnes, C. Kingcome, J. W. A CRAND TOURNAMENT for Ama- E. E. Enbank, C. P. Shewan, R. J. Wall, tour Welterweights and Heavy- W. Ahern, J. J. Clark, J. de Travesado, Dr. Shibayania, Mr A. Quiroga, Mr J. Sumulong, Mrs E. Darby, Mr and Mrs Mr Webb, Mr and Mrs Burney, Lieut, and Mrs Carter, Mr and Mrs H. W. Beck, Mr and Mrs J. P. Ramirez, Mr and Mrs C. Pardo de Savers, Mrs Sanderson and child.

The C. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress Mr and Mrs Harper and child, Mrs Graves. and 2 children, Mr and Mrs Dryfuss and 2 children. Mrs E. S. Tallant, Dr. Mary Fulton, Miss S. R. Uygant, Darkwood, The M. M. Co.'s steamer Occurrien with the McLaughlin, Howard, and M. Merionda, Mr Easton and son, and Mrs D. Andrew. Per Catherine Apour, from Calcutts, &c., Mr E. A. Smith.

Per Prinzes Alice, for Hongkong : from Yokohama, Miss Llob; from Kobe, Mr H. ThatP. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. And is due to B. Pike. Mrs Robertson and 4 children, and Mrs Gill; from Shanghai, H.E. Grai von Rex. Mr M. Niclerffan, Miss. Montin, Dr R. S. Foy. Dr M. Gelinsky, Mr E. W. Adams, Mr Wear, Mr E. J. Mazzuchi, Mr A. Weingarten, Mr Yawats, Mr Shebbeth, and Mr Kors.

Per Hanoi, from Haiphong, &c., Mr and Mrs Mayer, Mr and Mrs Talbat, and Mrs

- Per Sunda from Shanghail for Hong. kong, Miss Lowden; for Marseilles, THE Steamship Catherine Appar having Mr and Mrs Shaw, and Miss Wolearrived from the above Ports, Con- ken; for London, Mrs Brand and 3 signees of Cargo are hereby informed that daughters, Mrs Edmonston and child, Mr their Goods will be delivered from along. H. W. G. Hayter, Mrs Bellingham, Mr F. Mr A. W. Van Andel Miss Laughlin Chevalley, Mr R. Geden, Mr and Mrs Mr E. Archbutt Cargo impeding the discharge will be Simpson. Mrs Milligan and 2 children, Mr M. P. Beattie landed at once at Consiguoes' risk and Miss Readshaw, Miss G. Banks, Mrs Mc- Mr A. R. Bellamy expense. Cargo remaining on board after Arthur and 2 children, Miss Berry, Mr H. Miss M. Bergonoff 4 P.M., of the 24th March, will be subject | Whitelock, Mr and Mrs Berrell, Mr C. B. | Mr and Mrs Blanch-Berrell and 4 children, Mr and Mrs Baring Consignees of cargo from Singapore and and child, Mrs Shaw's nurse and 2 children. Penang are requested to take immediate From Yokohama ; for Marseilles, Miss Mr A. Charlton delivery of their Goods from alongaide, Acherson; for London, Mr R. Evert, Mrs Major & Mrs Chitty Miss Morioudo such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Bolle de Lascelle, and Mr J. R. Johnson.

> PASSENGERS EXPECTED. The following is a list of passengers ex-

Per Prinz Ludwig, due 23rd Mar, -- Mrs Mr C. B. Graves and Col. and Mrs Prior Mazzuchi, Messra Zsoldes, B. Lender, Miss child E. Gottschalck, Mr. Rube and family, Mr. Rev. & Mrs H. rper Mrs Russell and Mrs F. B. Evans, Mrs C. Atkinson. Mr and Mrs Karl Jeschke, Mr and Mrs F. J. Brumfield.

VESSELS AT THE DOCKS. BAt Kowloon " Klangtung, Haitan, H. M.S.

Aberdeen .-Taikoo.-Ichang, Tjipanas, Water Boats Nes. 8 and 9.

> P.ravious ! On date at On date at 10 a.m. 4 p.m.

Hongkong Register.

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F. G. Fice, Director. Hongkong Observatory, March 21st, 1914 Vessels Advertised as Loading

DATE OF BEAVERS. VESSELS. AGENTY. DESTINATION. Butterfield & Swire ... Mar. 23, at 5 p.m. Amoy Ningpo & S'hai Kansu Jibb blvingston & Co. Apr. 6, at Noon Anstralian Ports Eastern Nippon Yuson Kaisha. March 22, p.m. Bbay, vS pore, Panang Colombo Maru Osaka Shosen Kalaha. Mar. 31, at 8 a m. Coast Ports & Shanghai Bujun Maru Melphers & Co. Mar. 23, at Noon. Europe, &c..... Prinzess Alice Sander, Wieler & Co. Mar. 30, p.m. Flume, Trieste, &c. Nippon Hamburg-Am'ka Linis March &4. Havro & Hamburg ... Saxonia Portland & A. S. Co. About Apr. 16. Japan & Portland, Or. Hansik Theen P. & O. S. N. Co..... Apr. 2, at Noon. P. & O. S. N. Co..... About Mar. 23 London, &co..... Devanha London & A'werp, &c Sunda Jardine, M'son & Co, Ed 4 bout April I. bondon, R'dam, A'erp Flintshire Nippon Yusan Kaisha Mar. 23, Daylight. Mossagories Marihime Mar. 23, at 1 p m. Marsellies, London &c. Kanagawa Maru Butterfield & Swire .. Mar. 29, s.t 3 p.m. Jardine, M'son &Co, Ld Mar. 23, at 4 p.m. .. Shevan, Tomes & Co. Mar. 28, at Noon Manila, A'lian Ports... Yawata Maru Vippon Yusun Kaisha Apr. 15, at Noon. Manila, A lian Ports. Prins Sigismund Molchers & Co.......... Mar. 25, Daylight. Manila, A'lian Ports ... Changeba Butterfield & Swire Apr. 21, at 4 p.m. .. Dodwell & Co. Limited About Mar. 29. New York Sikh fardine, M'son & Co, Ld Mar. 28, at 4 p.m. ... Toyo Kisen Kabba ... Mar. 26, at noon. Ban Francisco v. Japan Chiyo Maru

San Francisco v. Japan Mongolia Paolife Mall S.S. Co. .. Apr. 16. at Noon. S'hal. Kobe & T'ham Occanien Messageries Maritimes About Mar. 28. S'hal. Kobe & Thama Alesia Hamburg-Am ka Linle About Mar. 29. Shanghal, Moji & Koba Caylon Maru Nippon Yusen Kalaha. Mar. 30 S'pore, P'ang, Calcutte. Gregory Apear D. Sassoon & Co. Id. War. 25, at Noon. Shanghai, Koos & Moji Fooksang Jardine, M'son & Co., Lt. Apr. 1, at Noon. Chinhua Butterfield & Swire ... Mar. 27, Daylight Suttorfield & Swire. Mar. 24, at 4 p.m. S tow, Amoy & F'chow Haltan

Douglas Lapraik & Co. Mar. 29, at 10 a.m.
Douglas Lapraik & Co. Mar. 25, at 10 a.m.
Osaka Shoson Kalaha Mar. 27, at 10 a.m. 23rd March, at 1 p.m. S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Haiching O. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress S'tow, Amoy & Tamsui Daigi Maru China left Vancouver on Friday, the S'tow, Amoy & Anping Soshu Maru Osaka Shosen Kaish: Mar. 30, at 10 a.m. Tacoma Maru Osaka Shosen Kaisha. Mar. 23, at Noon. 11th March, p.m. for Hongkong, via usual ports of call. V'couver, B.C. Tacoms Aymeric Dodwell & Co. Limited About Apr. 7. The P. M. S. Co.'s s.s. Korea arrived Vancouver, (B.C.), &c. Empress of Japan...... Canadian P'se R. Co. Mar. 28, at 8 s.m., Vancouver, (B.C.), &c. Empress of China..... Canadian P'se R. Co. Apr. 23, at 7 a.m. San Francisco on the 14th March. Vessels Expected. The German s.s. Borneo left Sandakan or

	Vancouver, (BO.), &c. Empress of Chi	na Caus	dian P'ue	M. Co. Apr. 25, at 4. a.m.	
Vessels Empecial.					
Friday, the 18th March, p.m., and may be expected here on or about	SHARE LIST - QUOTATIONS March 22, 1910.				
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Surdinid left	Spocks:	77- 17-0	ive. Poi		
March, at 5.30 p.m., and is dee hero on the 23rd March, at about 6 p.m.	Hongkong and Shanghal Banz Com.		125 211	- 2.00.2.	
The HA. Linie e.s. Aleria left Singapore on the 18th March, p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 24th	National Bank of China, Elmitod		8 .	6 \$73, bayers 0 \$170, bayers	
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Moji and Shanghai on the 19th March, and is expected here on the 28th	North-China Insurance Co., Ed. Ton- Union Insurance Society, himited	10,000	250	0 \$910 or \$230	
March. The N. Y. K. s.s. Ceylon, Maru (Bombay Line), left Bombay for this port via	Yanguza Insurance Association Cd. FIRE INSURANCES Ohina Fire Insurance Co., Ld.	2 0	100	\$109, buyers \$0 \$335	
Singapore on the 11th March, and 18 expected here on the 29th March.	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Dis.	1184000	.60 al	1 160, buyers	
Saturday, the 12th March, at 2 p.m., and may be expected here on or bout	H keng & Whampos Dock Od., Lid. Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited.	18,000		\$10, sellers	
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Vancouver on the 13 h March for Hongkong via Japan ports. he P. & A. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Henrik Ibsen	China and Manila S. S. Co., Lin.		170	1 \$32, sellers	
kong on Sunday, March 6th. he P. & A. Co.'s s.s. Hercules sailed	B.K. O. and M. Steamboan Co., Ed.	R0,000	15 7		
from Astoria en route to Hongkong ou Monday, March 7th.		10,000	. [_ ''	10 1 \$26, sellers	
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The L.C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Kumsang H.R. & Kow. Whart& Godown Do. . . 80,000 left Calcutta for the Straits and Hong. Shanghai and Hongkow Wharf Co... 32,000 Tia; 100 Tia100 The 115, az div. CAND AND BUILDING "" Hongkong Land Investment and ? 73,000 Th. 50 Tis. 50 Tis. 106 60 8 80 \$28, bayers Kowloon Land and Building Com-

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pages du Tonkin Raub Aust, Gold Mining Co., Ld. 200,000 50" [\$110, sellers HOTELS, ETC. 50 5 25 1885, The New York Line s.s. Wray Castle ar- Rongkong Hotel Company, his. Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'hai) 80,000 DISPENSABIES.

oy the 18th March, and is expected on A. S. Watson & Oo., Limitra Watkins Limited H.K. and Uhina Gas Co., Limited ... Shannhal Gas Company, Etd. 8,000

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50 8 50 \$50, sellers Capt, and Mrs Merlees Robinson Plano Co., Ed. 20 P -20 Tie 425 Shanzhai Waterworks Co. - Ind. 10 all \$211, sellers H'kong Rope Manufactory Ld. Co., Hongkong Ootton Spinning Co., Ed. 125,000 50 Tis 50 Tis. 12? Ewo Cotton Spinning and West. ing Co., Elmited 10,000 Tis 75 Tis.75 Tis. 62 International Cotton Manufactur-

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Wm. Powell, Edmited se sessesses 25 25 25 buyers South China Morning Post-China Light and Power Company I 5 65 buyers Steam Laundry Company, Limited. 10 \$10, buyers

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